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FM AMEMBASSY LIMA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4544

INFO AMEMBASSY BOGOTA

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AMCONSUL GUAYAQUIL

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EO 11652: N/A

TAGS: EINV, PE

SUBJ: OPIC ANDEAN INVESTMENT MISSION

REF: STATE 083066, 088081, LIMA 1425

1. TENTATIVE SCHEDULE CONTAINED IN STATE 083966 GENERALLY IN ACCORD WITH CONVERSATIONS HELD HERE EARLIER AND WE WILL CONFIRM WITH ORGANIZATIONS INVOLVED. LETTERS FROM MANSBAC TO VARIOUS PEOPLE HOSTING GROUPS HERE WERE RECEIVED APRIL 21 AND WILL BE FORWARDED. ONLY REAL PROBLEM SEEN IN SCHEDULE IS THE REATIVELY SHORT TIME (THIRTY MINUTES) ALLOTTED TO THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND TOURISM. EMBASSY WOULD RECOMMEND EXTENDING THIS TO ONE HOUR AND MOVING LUNCH BACK TO 1:30 VICE 1:00.

2. THE AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HAS FORMALLY ADVISED US OF THE CHAMBER'S WILLINGNESS TO HOST A LUNCHEON ON THE 13TH. BANK OF AMERICA AND CITIBANK HAVE ALSO AGREED TO HOST BREAKFAST SAME DAY. BANKS WILL PAY FOR BREAKFAST. HOWEVER, CHAMBER LUNCHESES ARE INTENDED TO BE SELF-SUPPORTING WITH EACH PARTICIPANT BUYING 500 SOLES TICKET AT THE DOOR. ASSUME OPIC WILL PICK UP PRO RATA SHARE FOR VISITORS. PLEASE ADVISE.

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3. EMBASSY IS PASSING ON THE LIST OF PARTICIPANTS CONTAINED IN STATE 088081 AND WILL REPORT REACTIONS AS RECEIVED. WOULD APPRECIATE FURTHER INDICATION LEVEL OF EXECUTIVES MAKING TRIP RATHER THAN IDENTIFYING THEM ONLY BY FIRM.

4. ANDEAN PACT JUNTA HAS ADVISED THAT WHILE THEY HAVE THE MECHA-

NICAL FACILITIES FOR SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION THEY DO NOT HAVE QUALIFIED PERSONNEL AND REQUESTS THAT OPIC PROVIDE SAME. SHOULD EMBASSY CONTACT INDIVIDUAL RECOMMENDED BY JUNTA AS COMPETENT SIMULTANEOUS INTERPRETER IN PAST OR WILL WISENFELD ARRANGE ON ARRIVAL?

5. FINALLY, EMBASSY REMAINS CONCERNED OVER PROXIMITY OF OPIC MISSION VISIT WITH THAT OF GROUP FROM BUSINESS INTERNATIONAL. BI HAS SCHEDULED SERIES OF VERY HIGH-LEVEL MEETINGS MAY 16-19. DID OPIC TAKE THIS INTO ACCOUNT, AS SUGGESTED LIMA 1425, WHEN SETTING UP TRAVEL PLANS OUTLINED STATE 083966?
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